and simultaneously  $R_6$  is chosen from  $C_1$ - $C_6$  alkyl groups, then  $R_7$  is not chosen from H and  $C_1$ - $C_6$  alkyl groups; and

(iv) compounds of the following formula (C):

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
R_8 & R_{10} \\
R_9 & R_{11}
\end{array}$$

wherein W is chosen from propylene groups optionally substituted with a substituent chosen from hydroxyl groups and  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkyl groups;  $R_8$ ,  $R_9$ ,  $R_{10}$  and  $R_{11}$ , which are identical or different, are each chosen from hydrogen groups,  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkyl groups and  $C_1$ - $C_4$  hydroxyalkyl groups.—

## **REMARKS**

Claims 1-22 are canceled. Claims 23-62 have been added, and are fully supported by the original application disclosure. No new matter has been added.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would be helpful in advancing the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is respectfully urged to contact Applicants' undersigned representative at (202) 408-4082.



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